



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Hugh Herr, Joaquin Blaya, and Gill A. Pratt

Application No.: 10/671,329

Group: 3762

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For: ACTIVE ANKLE FOOT ORTHOSIS

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for filing in the above-identified application.

- ☒ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a Small Entity Statement previously submitted.
- ☐ A Small Entity Statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

The claims fee has been calculated as shown below:

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
TOTAL	32	MINUS	* 24	8
INDEP	5	MINUS	** 4	1
<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM				

	RATE	ADDIT. FEE
X	\$ 25	\$ 200
X	\$100	\$ 100
+	\$180	\$ 0

	RATE	ADDIT. FEE
X	50	\$
X	\$200	\$
+	\$360	\$

* not fewer than 20
** not fewer than 3

TOTAL = \$ 300 TOTAL = \$ 0

The Application Size Fee has been calculated as shown below:*(Effective for cases filed on or after December 8, 2004)*

Actual Sheets (Including current amendment)	Highest No. of Sheets Paid For (At least 100)	No. of Additional Units Required (Increments of 50 sheets)

Rate	Total Amount Owed
X \$125	\$

Rate	Total Amount Owed
X \$250	\$

Payment Sufficient for up to
Sheets

Petition for Extension of Time

☒ Applicants hereby petition to extend the time to respond to the Office Action dated August 23, 2006 for one month from November 23, 2006 to December 23, 2006. The appropriate fee is set forth below.

☐ *[For action-specific language in an extension of time, select the appropriate option from the Firm Templates]*

<input type="checkbox"/>	Petition for one month Extension of Time	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/>	Claims Fee	\$ _____
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<input type="checkbox"/>	Other Fees:	_____
		\$ _____
		\$ _____
	TOTAL:	\$ _____

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Petition for one-month Extension of Time	\$	60
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Claims Fee	\$	<u>300</u>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Application Size Fee	\$	<u> </u>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Other Fees:		<u> </u>
		\$	<u> </u>
		\$	<u> </u>
	TOTAL:	\$	<u>360</u>

- ☒ Please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment in the fees that may be due in this matter to Deposit Account No. 08-0380. A copy of this letter is enclosed for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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